PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant:

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For:

"RETAINING DEVICE FOR A TUBE

PLUG"

Art Unit:

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Examiner:

Hook, James F.

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a communication regarding the above-identified application.

Fee Calculation For Claims As Amended

	As Amended		Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Rate	Rate		Additional Fee	
Total Claims		-	24	=		\$ 50.00	=	\$	0	
Independent Claims		-	4	= .		\$200.00	=	\$	0	
Fee for Multiple Depend	dent Claims					\$360.00	==	\$	0	
, ,					Total Ac	ditional Fee		\$	0	
				Small Er	ntity Fee (redu	iced by half)		\$		

(X)	Amendment	SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT "A"
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- If a Petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response is required to make the attached () response timely and does not separately accompany this transmittal, Applicant(s) hereby petition(s) under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for an extension of time for response in the above-identified application for the period required to make the attached response timely.
- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required to this application under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16-1.17, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 07-2069. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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SIR:

In response to the SP Office Action dated January 16, 2007, Claims begin at page 2 of this document, and Remarks begin at page 6 of this document.